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11th July 2024

Dear Parent/Carer (Current Year 4)

Year 5 – Visit to Eden Camp on Monday 16th September 2024



It is proposed that the Year 5 pupils will visit Eden Camp near Malton on Monday 16th September 2024. This visit will form part of the term's topic on 'Impact of War'.

Eden Camp allows the children to see the story of World War I and II, re-created using sights, sounds, smells and moving figures to create a unique atmosphere that makes it feel like you have travelled back in time to Wartime Britain.

The children should wear school uniform as usual for the visit but should wear strong walking shoes or trainers and bring a light waterproof in case of wet weather. A packed lunch and a drink of water will be required (no glass bottles or plastic food tubs); please pack this in a disposable bag so it will not need to be carried after lunch.

The children will need to leave school at 9.00 am on the day of the visit, therefore, it will be necessary for them to arrive promptly at school at 8.45 am. They will leave Eden Camp at 2.00 pm and should be back at Swanland Primary School (traffic permitting) by the end of the school day for collection as usual.

A voluntary contribution of £7.63 per child to help defer the cost of admission, transportation and insurance would be gratefully received. This visit is now available on [ParentPay](#) for you to pay online in the usual way before Tuesday 10th September 2024. As you are now able to give consent on [ParentPay](#), you no longer need to return a paper permission slip to school.

As we are sure you can appreciate, the visit would not be economically viable and, therefore, could not take place should these donations fail to materialise. However, our policy is that no student should be discriminated against by virtue of their inability to pay. Parents in receipt of Income Support or a similar benefit should contact us in the knowledge that the matter will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

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Thursday 19th September 2024 at 5.00 pm – Meet and Greet for Parents in Year 5

May we take this opportunity to remind you about the meeting with the Year 5 staff on the evening of Thursday 19th September at 5.00 pm in the Year 5 Classrooms. The meeting will provide you with an opportunity to meet the Year 5 staff team, discuss expectations for Year 5 and find out more about the 2024 Robinwood residential visit.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Hannah Stephenson
Head Teacher

On behalf of the Year 5 Team